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--accumulator--; and

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Page 4, line 4, delete ", comprising" and insert -- . The service point management system of the present invention comprises", before "point" insert --a-, and change "issue" to --issuer--; line 5, delete "means for"; line 6, before "point" insert --a--; line 7, delete "accumulation means for" and insert --accumulator--; line 8, before "point" insert --a--, and delete "notification means for" and insert --notifier--; line 9, before "customer" (second occurrence) insert --a--; line 10, delete "identification means for" and insert --identifier--; line 12, delete ", the" and insert --. The--, and change "notification" to --notifier--; line 13, delete "means notifying" and insert --notifies--; line 14, delete "identification means" and insert --identifier--; line 23, after "up" insert --the--; line 26, delete "is capable of" and insert --provide--; and line 26, delete "providing", and delete "transaction forms" and insert --forms of transaction--. Page 5, line 1, after "customer" insert /,--, delete "or" (first occurrence), and after "terminal" insert --,--; and

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line 14, delete "accumulation means" and insert

Page 7, line 10, delete "accumulation means" and insert

line 32, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--.

--accumulator--.

Page 8, line 10, change the heading from "PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS OF THE INVENTION" to --DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--;

line 13, delete "numeral 1 is a", and delete
"having" and insert --1 comprises--;

line 14, after "memories" insert -- (which are not shown in Figure 1)--;

line 15, delete "Numeral 2";

line 16, delete "is", change "data" to --Data--, delete "means, 3 is" and insert --2 is included in--, and delete ", 4" and insert --3.--;

line 17, delete "is" and insert --Processor 1 comprises--, delete "identification means, 5 is a" and insert --identifier 4,--;

line 18, delete "notification means, 6 is a" and insert --notifier 5,--, and after "storage" insert --6,--;

line 19, delete "means, 7 is a", and delete "accumulation means, 8 is a" and insert --accumulator 7,--;

line 20, delete "means, 9 is a" and insert --8,--, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer 9--, and delete "10 is a";

line 21, delete "management means" and insert
--manager 10, which may be implemented as software programs--;
line 27, delete "means";

line 31, delete "identification means" and insert
--identifier--;

line 35, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; and

line 37, delete "identification means" and insert --identifier--.

Page 9, line 3, delete "means";

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line 7, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--;
             line 8, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
             line 9, delete "means";
             line 11, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--;
         ___ line 12, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--,
and change "management" to --manager--;
             line 13, delete "means";
             line 15, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
             line 16, change "accumulation" to --accumulator--;
             line 17, delete "means";
             line 18, delete "identification means" and insert
--identifier--;
             line 28, delete "has" and insert --comprises--;
             line 29, delete "identification means" and insert
--identifier--, and delete "notification means" and insert --
notifier--;
             line 30, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--, and delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
and
             line 32, delete "has" and insert --comprises--.
     Page 10, line 5, change "(1)" to -- 1)--;
              line 6, delete "identification means" and insert
--identifier--;
              line 9, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--;
              line 10, change "(2)" to -- (2) --;
              line 11, delete "issue means" and insert
--issuer--;
              line 12, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--;
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line 13, delete "accumulation means" and insert --accumulator--; and

line 15, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier-- (both occurrences).

Page 15, line 30, after "and" insert --the--; and line 37, after "of" insert --the--.

Page 16, line 1, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer 9--, and delete "the figure" and insert --figures 8(A) and 8(B)--;

line 3, delete "has" and insert --comprises--;
line 20, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--;

line 23, delete "management means" and insert
--manager--; and
line 24, delete "issuer means" and insert
--issuer--.

Page 19, line 5, delete "accumulation" and insert

--accumulator--;

line 6, delete "means", change "Fig. 11" to

--Figs. 11(A) and (B)--; and

line 25, delete "accumulation means" and insert

--accumulator--, and change "Fig. 14" to --Figs. 12(A) and (B)--.

Page 20, line 18, delete "accumulation means" and insert --accumulator--.

Page 22, line 35, delete "accumulation means" and insert --accumulator--.

Page 23, line 34, delete "accumulation means" and insert

--accumulator--.

Page 24, line 33, delete "accumulation" and insert --accumulator--; and line 34, delete "means".

Page 25, line 14, delete "accumulation means" and insert --accumulator--.

Page 26, line 13, delete "accumulation means" and insert --accumulator--.

Page 27, line 1, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--;
line 3, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
line 6, delete "means";
line 11, delete "means"; and
line 35, delete "means".

Page 28, line 2, delete "means"; and
line 15, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--.

Page 29, line 20, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--;
line 22, delete "accumulation" and insert
--accumulator--;
line 23, delete "means"; and
line 24, delete "means".

Page 31, line 19, delete "has" and insert --comprises--.

Page 32, line 37, delete "explain" and insert --show--.

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Page 38, line 5, delete "has" and insert --comprises--; and
              line 9, delete "includes" and insert --comprises--.
     Page 39, line 13, delete "identification means" and insert
--identifier--, and delete "of" and insert --included in--;
              line 22, after "arranged" insert --a--, and delete
"issue means for" and insert --issuer--;
              line 23, before "point" insert --a--;
              line 24, delete "accumulation means for" and insert
--accumulator--;
              line 25, before "point" insert --a--, and delete
"notification means for" and insert --notifier--;
              line 26, before "customer" insert -- and a--, and
delete "identification" and insert --identifier--;
              line 27, delete "means for"; and
              line 29, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--.
     Page 40, line 4, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 26, delete "issue means" and insert
--issuer--;
              line 29, delete "issue means" and insert
--issuer--;
              line 32, delete "issue means" and insert
--issuer--; and
              line 35, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--.
     Page 41, line 1, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 5, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 9, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--;
              line 11, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--;
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line 14, delete "notification means" and insert

--notifier--;

line 17, delete "notification means" and insert

--notifier--;

line 19, delete "notification means" and insert

--notifier--;

line 23, delete "notification means" and insert

--notifier--;

line 27, delete "notification means" and insert

--notifier--;

line 31, delete "notification means has" and insert

--notifier comprises--;

line 32, delete "means for"; and

line 37, delete "notification means has" and insert

--notifier comprises--.

Page 42, line 1, delete "means for"; line 6, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 9, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 12, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 16, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 19, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 22, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 26, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--; line 28, delete "notification means" and insert --notifier--;

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line 31, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--; and
              line 34, delete "notification means" and insert
--notifier--.
     Page 43, line 2, delete "accumulation means has" and insert
--accumulator comprises a--;
              line 3, delete "means for";
            line 5, delete "means";
              line 8; delete "means";
              line 11, "means has means for" --comprises a section--;
              line 22, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--; and
              line 26, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--.
     Page 44, line 6, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--;
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              line 16, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 18, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 20, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 22, delete "issue means" and insert --issuer--;
              line 26, delete "accumulation means" and insert
--accumulator--;
              line 32, delete "is capable of"; and
              line 33, change "notifying" to --notifies--.
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Page 45, line 11, delete "may", change "improve" to --improves--, and delete "to" and insert --in--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows: